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STOCK MARKET HAS REGAINED STRENGTH.

ETTLEMENT OF NORTHERN PACIFIC DISPUTE HELPED.

Strike and Crop Conditions Appear to Have Been Discounted by Recent Selling.

New York, July 17.—The London market ed irregular and lower on forced sales merican stocks lost ground on pressure of this kind, but railied later in sympathy with the strength shown in the New York arket and closed firm. The recovery of ous strength that the Government had traging news from South Africa.

y was a trifle easier in London, but off in Berlin. Exchange was firm in

The early morning news was bearish, but the local market took on a remarkably strong tone from the opening. The labor news was not good, and the reports from the corn belt were unsatisfactory, but the factor in the day's trading was undoubtedly the settlement of the Northern Pacific disputs. Two hundred shares of the common stock sold at 118, as against 185 five weeks ago, and it is curious that a decline of \$1 points on one transaction should have been such an obvious buil argument. There was every sign that the big interests were on the built side of the market. The buying in Union Pacific was said to be for insiders, and was emphasized by the fact

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FINANCIAL.

St. Louis & San Francisco Railroad Co. Refunding.

28th, 1901, we hereby give notice that for the convenience of holders that have as yet not been able to deposit their bonds, we will until JULY 20, 1901, continue to receive deposit of underlying bonds for exchange into 4% Refunding Bonds on the same basis as heretofore, namely:

For each \$1,000, Face Value, of the Following Outstanding Bonds.	in Refunding Bonds Face Value.	
6% SECOND MORTGAGE A, B AND C BONDS	\$1,166.66	
6% MISSOURI AND WESTERN DIVISION FIRST MORTGE. BONDS	1,282.05	
6% TRUST BONDS OF 1880	1,282.03	
6% GENERAL MORTGAGE BONDS	1,369.23	
5% GENERAL MORTGAGE BONDS	1,194.87	
5% TRUST BONDS OF 1887	1,179.40	
6% ST. LOUIS, WICHITA AND WESTERN FIRST MTGE. BONDS (REDEEMABLE)	1,179.49	
6% FORT SMITH AND VAN BUREN BRIDGE FIRST MTGE. BONDS (REDEEMABLE)	1,129.20	
5% SOUTHWESTERN DIVISION BONDS (REDEEMABLE)	1,025.64	
40 CENTRAL DIVISION BONDS (REDEEMABLE)	1,051.28	
4% KANSAS CITY DIVISION BONDS (REDEEMABLE)	1,000.00	
30% KANSAS CITY DIVISION BONDS (REDEEMABLE)	876.93	
4% NORTHWESTERN DIVISION BONDS (REDEEMABLE)	1.051.28	
4% RED RIVER DIVISION BONDS	974.35	
40 CONSOLIDATED BONDS	1,025,64	

At the time of deposit, holders of underlying bonds will receive payment in cash of the unmatured interest accrued upon their deposited bonds to July 1, 1991, from which date the Refunding Bonds are to bear interest. BONDS MUST BE DEPOSITED WITH THE UNION TRUST CO. OF ST. LOUIS, ST. LOUIS, DEPOSITARY, ON OR BEFORE JULY 20, 1901, AFTER WHICH DATE BONDS WILL BE RECEIVED FOR EXCHANGE ONLY ON SUCH TERMS AS WE MAY DETERMINE.

We reserve the right, at any time, without notice, to alter the basis of exchange of any of the foregoing bonds or to withdraw, wholly or partly, our offer to exchange.

J. & W. Seligman & Co., Syndicate Managers.

NEW YORK, July 8, 1901.

British Columbia Copper 1415	15
Consolidated Refrigerating & Lig Co bla	- 65
Consultanted Rubber Tire com . 3	- 4
Consolidated Rubber Tire com 3 Do. pfd	32
Electric Boat com,	20
Do. pfd 40	45
Electric Vehicle com	8
Do. pfd 15	- 25
Electro Pneumatic 1%	1
Flemington Coal and Coke 1	3
General Carriage	15
German Treasury 4 per cents 1011/2	103
Havana Commercial com 7	9
Do. pfd	46
Illinois Transportation 14	1
National Sugar pfd107	108
New Amsterdam Gas firsts 5 per cents,	1000
J & J. 1948108	109
N. Y. Elec Vehicle Trans, 114	12
N. E. Elec Vehicle Trans, 3	1174
Otis Elevator com 321/4	34
Do. pfd 94	97
Royal Baking Powder pfd 37	99
Seaboard Air Line com 274	27
Do. pfd 47%	47
Do. 48	. 82
Standard Oll of N. J	76
Storage Power 5 Telegraph, Telephone and Cable 3	9
Telegraph, Telephone and Cable 3	
Tennessee Copper	20
Union Copper	- 5
St. Louis Transit Co. com 254	27
United Street Railways of St. Louis,	73
pfd	55
Do. 4 per cents	2
U. S. Cast Iron Pipe com 6	26
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Do. 5 per cents	45
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National Hiscuit
Do. pfd
National Tin
Do. pfd
North Chicago Street Railroad
West Chicago Street Railroad
Union Traction com
Do. pfd.

> FOREIGN FINANCE. England.

England.

London, July 17.—Consols for money \$2%; consols for the account \$2%. Anaconda \$2%; Atchison 75%; do. preterred \$75%; B. & O. \$5%; Canadian Pacific 102% St. Paul 180%; Eric 30%; do. first preferred \$5%; do. second preserred \$0. Hilmols central 15%; Louisvine 163, ex. dividend; New York Central 15%; Northern Pacific preterred 38; Pennsylvania 72%; Reading 18%; do. first preferred 37%; to second preferred 24%; Southern Pacific \$3%; Union Pacific \$9%; do. preferred \$3%; United States Steel 35%; do. preferred \$8, ex. dividend; C. & O. \$3%; Unicago Great Western 21; D. & R. G. 41%; do. preferred \$2; M., K. & T. 25; do, preferred \$4%; Nabash 18; do. preferred \$4%; Wabash 19; do. preferred 37. Spanish 48 70% Money 266

Foreign Exchange.

Foreign exchange was in better demand and the market closed firmer.

D. R. Francis, Bro. & Co. report closing rates Bankers' Paris cables 5.16%; checks 5.16%; 60 days 5.18%. French francs, checks 5.17%; 60 days 5.19%@ 19.1-16. 5.19.1-16.
Swiss checks 5.184,65.18.1-16; 60 days 5.214.
Swiss checks 5.184; 60 days 5.204.
Belgian checks 5.184; 60 days 5.204.
Bankers' reichsmarks cables 95%; checks \$5%; 60
days 94,694 15-16.
Commercial checks \$5.5-166935%; 60 days 94,50
94.13-16; 90 days 94,694.9-16.
Bankers' Dutch guilders 404,694.5-18; 60 days

Bar Silver. New York, July 17.—Bar silver 58%c per ounce. London, July 17.—Bar silver steady at 26%d

A QUIET MARKET

FOR LOCAL STOCKS.

FEW REDEEMING FEATURES SHOWN YESTERDAY.

There Was a Weak Undertone and Orders Were Few and Far Between-Sales Light.

Yesterday's session of the Stock Exchange was in quite marked contrast to that held the day before, and this contrast was for the worse, few redeeming features relieving the situation, which, as a rule, was slow, dull and uninteresting from every point of view. Sellers seemed more anxlous than buyers, and the consequence was that in very many cases lower prices were realized or went on record than otherwise would have been the case. One of the most encouraging features of the day was the demand for certain trust stocks, that is to say, Lincoln and Commonwealth, both of which brought higher prices, the first-named ½ point and the last 1 point. The heaviest trading was in Lincoln, of which stock 285 shares changed hands at a range of \$230.50 to \$231, the bulk bringing the outside figure. This was new stock, and at the close was bid \$230.50 and offered at \$231, while the old was \$232 cellers. The only trade in Commonwealth was in a small lot of 10 shares at \$284, the close being at \$253.50 bid and \$254 asked. Mercantile was weak at \$399.50 sellers and no bids, and Mississippi was offered at \$404, with no bids, while Missouri was quoted at \$108 bid and \$109 asked.

The stock to attract most attention next to trusts was United Rallways, but the trading was comparatively light and a quiet condition of affairs prevailed during the session. Nothing was done in the bonds, which closed as they opened, at \$39 bid and \$89.59 asked. Preferred stock started off encouraging, with a sale of 130 shares at \$78.75, but subsequent sales were at \$78.50, and that was the selling price at the close, with \$78.25 bid. The only trade made in Transit or common stock was in a 50-share lot at \$25. at which there were sellers aft.

Westinghouse Coupler was quiet at \$50 bid, at which a small lot of 6 shares sold, and which appeared to be the only lot on the market. There were no new developments in Laclede Gas common, which was salable at \$34.25 bid and \$95 asked.

A quiet demand was had for Granite-Bi-Metallic and Century building 5s, and also for American-Nettie mining. Sales of 200 shares were made in the first-named at \$1.95, and one \$500 Century brought \$105. At one time \$104.50 was bid for the latter for \$50,000, but at close they were offered at that.

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United Railways 4s \$89.00	\$ 89.50
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Transit or common 25.75	78.50
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Do. prd 57.00	69.00
Do. 5s 94.50	94.75
St. Louis and Suburban 87.00	*******
Mercantile Trust	299.50
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Lincoln Trust 230.50	231.00
Commonwealth Trust 283.50	234.00
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LOCAL MONEY MARKET.

Good All-Round Business Transacted

STOCKS AND BONDS IN BOSTON.

Government Bonds.

Santa Fe Copper... 615 Tamarack ... 346 Utah Mining ... 2915 Winona ... 215 Wolverines ... 215

Local Forecast Official. The river at St. Louis will show

RIVER NEWS.

Rise and Fall of the Rivers

Cincinnati
Louisville
Nashville
Chattanooga
Florence
Johnsonville
Evansville
St, Paul
Dubuque

River and Business. Harbor gauges yesterday stood at 10.4 feet, showing no change in the last 24 hours.

Business on the wharf yesterday was dull. Both receipts and offerings of freight were comparatively light.

Weather clear and warm.

To-Day's Weather. h possibility of local thunderstorms.

Arrived. Spread Eagle City of Sheffield... Bald Eagle..... W. H. Grapevine. Julia

River Rialto Brevities.

-Word was received yesterday by Isaac P. Lusk, general sgent of the Diamond Jo Ling, that the St. Paul on the upstream trip to St. Paul had made the run from Davenport to Dubuque in slightly less than 12 hours. The distance is 108 miles and stops were made at 17 landings. The time had never before been equaled by any steamer on the upper river.

-Pilots Greenwell and Rogers of the S. H. H. Clark, which arrived in St. Louis early yesterday morning with a tow of 3 barges of sugar, left with the Mississingl and Ohio Rivers Pilots' Society a complete upstream record of the channel between New Orleans and St. Louis.

-Joseph A. Connors left St. Louis last night for Memphis, where he will take a position as pilot on one of the new Government dredges which will soon enter the service in the lower river.

-Elmer Owerie returned vesterday from Cairo River Rialto Brevities. -Money in Fair Demand.

Local banks and trust companies reported a good all-round business yesterday, but no new features were developed. In a routine way, but: ness was active and rully up to the average of the best day of the week so far, and both paying and receiving tellers were kept busily employed, as checking and depositing were on a liberal scale most of the day. Money was in more than ample supply but the demand was very good and well distributed, while the rates of discount were quotably unchanged at from 5 to 7 per cent for call and time paper.

The local bank clearings were reported at \$7.08,08, and the balances at \$1,085,512.

Domestic Exchange. river.

-Elmer Owerle returned yesterday from Cairo and will remain in St. Louis indefinitely. The Harry Brown, on which Captain Owerle was pilot, is on the way to New Orleans, with 30 barges of coal from the Ohio River.

pilot, is on the way to New Orieans, with 20 barges of coal from the Ohio River.

—The Julia brought in a cargo of wheat from Harrisonville Landing yesterday morning and departed in the afternoon for Hamburg and Calhoun County landings with a good patronage of freight and a number of passengers.

—The City of Memphis arrived last night from the Tennessee River with a number of passengers and a good freight trip, including 69,000 feet of lumber, 19 bales of cotton, 68 sacks of grain and 21 packages of sundries.

—The Peters Lee will be in from Memphis at daylight this morning with the heaviest cargo of wheat yet received in St. Louis by river. The boat will bring in 11,509 sacks of wheat and several hundred packages of sundries.

—The City of Sheffleid came up yesterday from Kemper's Landing with a full cargo of wheat and departed in the afternoon for Hamburg with several hundred head of live stock and a good list of passengers.

—The McDougal departed yesterday afternoon or New Chempers with because of the bases of sundries.

mercs with a heavy trip of wheat and general freight.

The Columbia will reach St. Louis early this morning from Chester and will receive to clear for the same port in the afternoon at 3 o'clock.

The Chester is due early this morning from Cape Girardeau and will receive to clear on the downstream trip this afternoon at 3 o'clock.

The Quincy reached St. Louis Tuesday evening with 109 passengers and will depart on the return trip this afternoon at 4 o'clock.

The W. H. Grapevine cleared for Jefferson City vesterday at 5 o'clock with a few passengers and 300 tons of package freight.

The City of St. Louis yesterday arrived from Kaskaskia with 3,000 sacks of wheat.

IN THE COUNTY.

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Str. GEORGIA LEE follows Saturday, July 2. Str. REES LEE follows Tuesday, July 22, 5, m. JNO. E. MASSENGALE, Agent.
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